

REMARKS

Claims 1-3 and 5-8 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-3 are allowed, and Claims 5-8 stand rejected. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider and withdraw the rejections in view of the amendments and remarks contained herein.

REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 103

Claims 6-8 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Enyedy et al. (U.S. Pat. No. 5,938,949) in view of Hill (U.S. Pat. No. 3,061,709). Although Applicants respectfully traverse this rejection, Claims 6-8 have been cancelled in order to expedite allowance of the present application. Therefore, the rejection of Claims 6-8 is now moot.

CONCLUSION

It is believed that all of the stated grounds of rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw all presently outstanding rejections. It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the Outstanding Office Action and the present application is in condition for allowance. Thus, prompt and favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (734) 302-6043.

Respectfully submitted,

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